## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

DEBORAH A. MILLER,	)
Plaintiff,	) 
<b>v.</b>	Case No
EQUIFAX INFORMATION SERVICES ) LLC; EXPERIAN INFORMATION )	<b>,</b>
SOLUTIONS, INC., TRANS UNION LLC, AND GE CAPITAL RETAIL BANK,	
Defendants.	

## **NOTICE OF REMOVAL**

Defendant, Equifax Information Services LLC ("Equifax"), by Counsel, hereby files this Notice of Removal of this action from the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, wherein it is now pending as Case No. GD14-005120, to the United States District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania. This Notice of Removal is filed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1441 and 1446. In support hereof, Defendants show this Court as follows:

- 1. An action was filed on March 25, 2014 in the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, entitled *Miller v. Equifax Information Services LLC*, et al. Case No. GD14-005120 (the "State Court Action").
  - 2. Equifax was served with the Complaint on April 1, 2014.
- 3. This Notice is being filed with this Court within thirty (30) days after Equifax was served with a copy of Plaintiff's initial pleading setting forth the grounds for her action and her claims for relief.

- 4. This Court has original jurisdiction over this case pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1331, in that this is a civil action arising under the Constitution, laws or treaties of the United States; specifically 15 U.S.C. § 1681 *et seq.*, otherwise known as the Fair Credit Reporting Act ("FCRA"), as follows:
- (a) Plaintiff's Complaint, on its face, alleges a violation of the FCRA. (See Plaintiff's Complaint, ¶ 72-76).
- (b) The FCRA, pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1681(p), provides that any action alleging a violation of its provisions "may be brought in any appropriate United States district court without regard to the amount in controversy . . ."
- 5. Promptly after the filing of this Notice of Removal, Equifax shall give written notice of the removal to Plaintiff and to the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, as required by 28 U.S.C. § 1446(d).
- 6. Attached hereto, as Exhibit A, is a true and correct copy of the Complaint served upon Equifax in the State Court Action.

WHEREFORE, Equifax requests that the above-described action be removed to this Court.

Respectfully submitted this 21st day of April, 2014.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

This is to certify that I have this day electronically filed a true and correct copy of the foregoing NOTICE OF REMOVAL with the Clerk of the Court using the ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to the following:

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Dated: April 21, 2014

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